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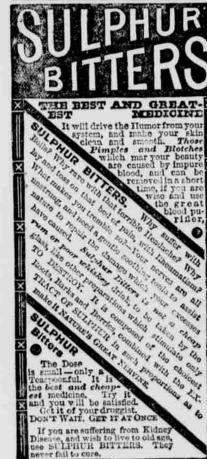
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To serve therewith my Maker, and present My true account, lest be returning chide Doth God exact day labor, light denied?" fondly ask: But Patience, to prevent That murmur, soon replies, "tool doth not

Bear his mild yoke, they serve him best; his

Is kingly, thousands at his bidding speed, And post o'er land and ocean without rest; They also serve who only stand and wait."

[Continued.] THE HISTORY OF RASSELAS.

PRINCE OF ABYSSINIA. CHAPTER VII.

The Prince finds a man of learning.

The prince was not much afflicted by this disaster, having suffered himself to hope for a happier event, only because he had no other means of escape in view, He still persisted in his design to leave the happy valley by the first opportu- fancy. mitv.

3:36 a m NIGHT EXPRESS, from New York for Mo treal, Og-densburg and the West. Sliepping car to Montreal—daily except Mondays His imagination was now at a stand; He had no prospect of entering into the rupted thee," EXPRESS MAIL, from New York, New London, Troy, Albany, Springf'id and Bos-ton for flurington, Mont-pelier, St. Albans, Montreal, ignensburg and the West. EXPRESS, from New York Albans and Troy for Bur-lington, St. Albans, Mon-treal, and the West. Par-lor car to St. Albans. world; and, notwithstanding all his endeavors to support himself, discontent by degrees preyed upon him, and he began again to lose his thoughts in sadness, when the rainy season, which in these countries is periodical, made it inconvenient to wander in the woods.

The rain continued longer and with SOUTH AND EAST.

EXPRESS, for Boston, Worcester, New London, SpringBeld and New York, also
Troy, Albany & New York,
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Room car to New York, arriving 7 p. m.; also Pullman
Drawing Room car, to Boston, arriving 6:35 p. in more violence than had ever been known: the clouds broke on the surrounding mountains, and the torrents streamed into the plain on every side, till the cavern was too narrow to discharge the water. 4:52 p m MIXED, for Rutland and intermediate stations. The lake overflowed its banks, and all the level of the valley was covered with the inundation. The eminence on which the palace was built, and some other NIGHT EXPRESS, for Troy, Albany, New York, and Boston. A Sleeping car through to New York and spots of rising ground, were all that the eye could now discover. The herds and flocks left the pastures, and both the wild beasts and the tame retreated to the mountains. Coing South-6:35 a m-Mixed train

This inundation confided all the princes to domestic amusements, and the attention of Rasselas was particularly seized Going North-5:55 p m-Mixed train caves Leicester Junction, arriving at Ticon by a poem, which Imlac rehearsed upon the various conditions of humanity. He commanded the poet to attend him in his apartment, and recite his verses a second time; then, entering into familiar talk, he thought himself happy in having found a man who knew the world so well and could so skilfully paint the scenes of life. He asked a thousand questions about things, to which, though common to all other mortals, his confinement from childhood had kept him a stranger. The poet pitied his ignorance and loved his curiosity, and entertained him from day to day with novelty and instruction, so that the prince regretted the necessity of sleep, and longed till the morning should renew his pleasure.

As they were sitting together the prince commanded Imlac to relate his he was going to begin his narrative, Rasselas was called to a concert, and obliged to restrain his curiosity till the evening.

CHAPTER VIII.

The History of Induc.

version and entertainment, and it was enriosity. therefore midnight before the music ceased him to begin the story of his life.

"Sir," said Imlac, "my history will not to hear, to inquire and answer inquiries, bound for Surat, having left a letter for Also LUMBER of every variety, Lath, Clar-boards, Pure H art Salaries, is inch spence, ion-and ce ar, also monufacturers of all knods of House Finishing Material and Bee Keepers' Sup-about the world without pomp or terror. is the business of a scholar. He wanders my father declaring my intention." and is neither known nor valued but by men like himself.

> at no great distance from the fountain of province.

"Surely," said the prince, "my father used to keep about the tavern. must be negligent of his charge, if any man in his dominions dares take that | Bip bethought himself a moment, and once seen them in their old Dutch dresses which belongs to another. Does he not inquired, "Where's Nicholas Vedder?" Dr. O. H. Stevens & Co., Bradford, Vt., est gains for fear of losing them by the him, but that is rotten and gone too." rapacity of power. Name the governor who robbed the people that I may declare his crimes to the emperor."

acquit your father, and perhaps hear know-he never came back again." Oppression is, in the Abyssinian domin-master?" ions, neither frequent nor tolerated: but "He went off to the wars, too; was a else but his business. Enterprising young men who wish to prepare the markets for a successful stary in business, can the markets for a successful stary in business, can the stary at the ALSANY covered, by which cruelty can be wholly gress."

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men, it will sometimes be abused. The the world. Every answer puzzled him, tion, with whom he soon grew into great vigilance of the supreme magistrate may too, by treating of such enormous lapses favor. ish all that he knows."

derstand, but I had rather hear thee than Van Winkle?" dispute. Continue thy narration."

education than such as might qualify me | tree." man in Abyssinia,"

desire the increase of his wealth, when it himself or another man. In the midst of free citizen of the United States. Rip, was already greater than he durst discov- his bewilderment the man in the cocked in fact, was no politican; the changes of er or enjoy? I am unwilling to doubt thy hat demanded who he was, and what was states and empires made but little impresveracity, yet inconsistencies cannot both his name? be true.

wants are supplied must admit those of or who I am!"

in a continual course of gratifications; but his mind. as I advanced toward manhood, I lost much of the reverence with which I had asked he. been used to look on my instructors: because when the lesson was ended, I did not find them wiser or better than

"At length my father resolved to initiate me in commerce; and, opening which you must negotiate. I began with a little girl." less than the fifth part, and you see how diligence and parsimony have increased it. This is your own to waste or to improve. If you squader it by negligence or caprice, you must wait for death before you be rich; if, in four years, you passion at a New England peddler." double your stock, we will thenceforward let subordination cease, and live together as friends and partners; for he shall be could contain himself no longer, skilled in the art of growing rich."

"We laid our money upon camels, contravelled to the shore of the Red Sea, poor Rip Van Winkle?" When I east my eye upon the expanse of was forced, or by what motive induced, seeing the manners of other nations, and is himself. Welcome home again, old of doubt. to close his life in the happy valley. As of learning sciences unknown in Abys- neighbor. Why, where have you been

then called for his companion and requir- for me to become acquainted with the assemblage. master of a ship, and procure a passage to

(Continued) RIP VAN WINKLE.

KNICKERBOCKER.

"Well-who are they?-name them,"

playing at ninepins in a hollow of the No Washing Off with Soap and Water. know that kings are accountable for in- There was a silence for a little while, mountain; and that he himself had heard, justice permitted as well as done? If I when an old man replied, in a thin, piping one summer afternoon, the sound of their were emperor, not the meanest of my voice, "Nicholas Vedder? why, he is balls, like distant peals of thunder. for subjects should be oppressed with impudead and gone these eighteen years! nity. My blood boils when I am told There was a wooden tombstone in the pany broke up, and returned to the more that a merchant durst not enjoy his hon- churchyard that used to tell all about important concerns of the election.

"Where's Brom Dutcher?"

other, and if power be in the hands of friends, and finding himself thus alone in making friends among the rising general singing alone in the morning of life.

do much, but much will still remain un- of time, and of matters which he could Having nothing to do at home, and done. He can never know all the crimes not understand-war-Congress-Stony being arrived at that happy age when a that are committed, and can soldom pun- Point!-he had no courage to ask after man can do nothing with impunity, he any more friends, but eried out in took his place once more on the bench at "This," said the prince, "I do not un- despair, "Does nobody here know Rip the inn door, and was reverenced as one

"My father," proceeded Imlac, origins or three, "Oh, to be sure! that's Rip war." It was some time before he could ally intended that I should have no other Van Winkle yonder, leaning against the get into the regular track of gossip, or

for commerce; and, discovering in me Rip looked, and beheld a precise countevents that had taken place during his that I should be sometime the richest tainly as ragged. The poor fellow was thrown off the yoke of old England-and now completely confounded. He doubt- that, instead of being a subject of his "Why," said the prince, "did thy father ed his own identity, and whether he was majesty George the Third, he was now a

"Inconsistencies," answered Imlac, wit's end; "I'm not myself-I'm some groaned, and that was-petticoat govern-"cannot both be right; but, imputed to body else-that's me yonder-no-that's ment. Happily, that was at an end; he man, they may both be true. Yet divers somebody else got into my shoes-I was had got his neck out of the yoke of matsity is not inconsistency. My father myself-last night, but I fell asleep on the rimony, and could go in and out whenmight expect a time of greater security, mountain, and they've changed my gun, ever he pleased without dreading the However, some desire is necessary to and everything's changed, and I'm tyranny of Dame Van Winkle, Whenkeep life in motion; and he whose real changed, and I can't tell what's my name ever her name was mentioned, however,

measure conceive. I repent that I inter- tap their fingers against their forcheads, tion to his fate or joy at his deliverance. There was a whisper, also, about securing He used to tell his story to every

"What is your name, my good woman?" "Judith Gardenier."

"And your father's name?"

"Ah, poor man, his name was Rip Van Winkle; it's twenty years since he went one of his subterranean treasuries, count- home without him; but whether he shot flagon. ed out ten thousand pieces of gold. 'This, binuself, or was carried away by the Inyoung man, said he 'is the stock with dians, nobody can tell. I was then but

Rip had but one question more to ask; but he put it with a faltering voice. "Where's your mother?"

"Oh, she too died but a short time

since; she broke a blood-vessel in a fit of

always equal with me who is equally caught his daughter and her child in his arms. "I am your father!" cried hecealed in bales of cheap goods, and Van Winkle now !- Does nobody know

All stood amazed until an old woman, point, that I think no conscientious able curiosity kindled in my mind, and it in his face for a moment, exclaimed, these twenty long years?

"I remember that my father had Rip's story was soon told, for the whole when Freedom, on her natal day, obliged me to the improvement of my twenty years has been to him but as one within her war rocked cradle lay. stock, not by a promise which I ought hight. The neighbors stared when they An iron race about her stood not to violate, but by a penalty which I heard it; some were seen to wink at each Baptized her infant brow with blood was at liberty to incur; and therefore other, and put their tongues in their And, through the storm which round her determined to gratify my predominant cheeks; and the self-important man in Their constant ward and watching kept. The close of the day is, in the regions desire, and, by drinking at the fountains the cocked hat, who, when the alarm was Then, where our quiet heris repose, of the torrid zone, the only season of di- of knowledge, to quench the thirst of over, had returned to the field, screwed The roar of baleful battle rose, down the corners of his mouth, and shook. And brothren of a common tongue "As I was supposed to trade without his head-upon which there was a gen- To mortal strife as tigers sprang. therefore inidialight before the music ceased, and the princes retired. Basselas connection with my father, it was easy eral shaking of the head throughout the Was man for beast, and blood for wine

It was determined, however, to take Our fathers to their graves have gone: some other country. I had no motives of the opinion of old Peter Vanderdonk, who Their strite is past—their triumph won, Embracing, with the old varieties, the new and be long: the life that is devoted to know- choice to regulate my voyage; it was suf- was seen slowly advancing up the road. Which rises in their honored place; ledge passes silently away, and is very delent for me that, wherever I wandered He was a descendant of the historian of A moral warrare with the crime Nails, Doors, Sash, Blinds. little diversified by events. To talk in I should see a country which I had not that name, who wrote one of the earliest And folly of an evil time. public, to think in solitude, to read and seem before. I therefore entered a ship accounts of the province. Peter was the so let it be. In God's own might most ancient inhabitant of the village. We gird us for the coming fight; and well versed in all the wonderful events and traditions of the neighborhood. | We grasp the weapons He hath given-He recollected Rip at once, and corrobo- The light and truth and love of heaven rated his story in the most satisfactory "I was born in the kingdom of Golama, A POSTHUMOUS WRITING OF DIEDRICH manner. He assured the company that it was a fact, handed down from his anthe Nile. My father was a wealthy mer- It was with great difficulty that the cestor the historian, that the Kaatskill chant, who traded between the inland self-important man in the cocked hat re- mountains had always been haunted by countries of Africa and the ports of the stored order; and, having assumed a ten-strange beings. That it was affirmed The stars no doubt if one looked out. Scratches, Grease, or Cracked Red Sea. He was honest, frugal, and fold austerity of brow, demanded again that the great Hendrick Hudson, the diligent, but of mean sentiments and nar- of the unknown culprit what he came first discoverer of the river and country. row comprehension; he desired only to there for, and whom he was seeking, kept a kind of vigil there every twenty be rich, and to conceal his riches, lest he The poor man humbly assured him that years with his crew of the Half-Moon, should be spoiled by the governors of the The meant no harm, but merely came there being permitted in this way to revisit the in search of some of his neighbors, who scenes of his enterprise, and keep a guardian eye upon the river and the great city. What all young bidles, whate'er their grade is, called by his name. That his father had

> To make a long story short, the com-Rip's daughter took him home to live And hint in fact, with your well-known fact. with her; she had a snug, well-furnished "Oh, he went off to the army in the house, and a stout, cheery farmer for a beginning of the war; some say he was husband, whom Rip recollected for one "Sir," said Imiac, "your ardor is the killed in the storming of Stony Point- of the urchins that used to climb upon natural effect of virtue animated by others say he was drowned in the squall his back. As to Rip's son and heir, who youth; the time will come when you will at the foot of Authony's Nose. I don't was the ditto of himself, seen leaning against the tree, he was employed to With vest blood-spotted and cut carotid. with less impatience of the governor. "Where's Van Bummel, the schools work on the farm; but evinced a hereditary disposition to attend to anything

no form of government has yet been dis- great militia general, and is now in Con- Rip now resumed his old walks and A voice by the codar-tree.

of the patriarchs of the villiage and a "Oh, Rip Van Winkle!" exclaimed two chronicle of the old times "before the could be made to comprehend the strange great strength of memory and quickness terpart of himself as he went up the torpor. How that there had been a rev-Either man's work or his own gifts; who best of apprehension, often declared his hope mountain; apparently as lazy, and cer-olutionary war-that the country had sion on him; but there was one species "God knows!" exclaimed he, at his of despotism under which he had long he shook his head, shrugged his should-The bystanders began now to look at ers, and east up his eyes; which might "This," said the prince, "I can in some each other, nod, wink significantly, and pass either for an expression of resigna-

"With this hope," proceeded Imlac, the gun, and keeping the old fellow from stranger that arrived at Mr. Door the sent me to school; but when I had doing mischief; at the very suggestion of little's hotel. He was observed, at once found the delight of knowledge, which, the self-important man with the first, to vary on some points every and felt the pleasure of intelligence and cocked hat retired with some precipita- time he told it, which was doubtless the pride of invention, I began silently tion. At this critical moment a fresh, owing to his having so recently awaked. to despise riches, and determined to dis- comely women passed through the It at last settled down precisely to the appoint the purpose of my father, whose throng to get a peep at the grey-hearded tale I have related, and not a man, wogrossness of conception raised my pity, man. She had a chubby child in her man, or child in the neighborhood but I was twenty years old before his tender- arms, which, frightened at his looks, knew it by heart. Some always pretendness would expose me to the fatigue of began to cry. "Hush, Rip," cried she, ed to doubt the reality of it, and insisted travel, in which time I had been instruct- "hush you little fool; the old man won't that Rip had been out of his head, and ed, by successive masters, in all the lit- hurt you." The name of the child, the that this was one point on which he alerature of my native country. As every air of the mother, the tone of her voice, ways remained flighty. The old Dutch hour taught me something new, I lived all awakened a train of recollections in inhabitants, however, almost universally gave it full credit. Even to this day they never hear a thunder-storm of a summer afternoon about the Kaatskill, but they say Hendrick Hudson and his crew are at their game of nine-pins; and it is a common wish of all henpecked husbands in the neighborhood, when life hangs heavy away from home with his gun and never on their hands, that they might have a has been heard of since—his dog came quieting draught out of Rip Van Winkle's

> Note. The foregoing tale, one would suspect, had been suggested to Mr. Knickerbock er by a little German superstition about the Emperor Frederick der Rothbart and the Kypp lauser Mountain; the subjoined note, how ever, which he had appended to the tale shows that it is an absolute fact, narrated with his usual fidelity.

The story of Rip Van Winkle may seem incredible to many, but nevertheless I give There was a drop of comfort, at least, it my tall belief, for I know the vicinity of our in this intelligence. The honest man old Dutch settlements to have been very subject to marvelous events and appearances Indeed, I have heard many stranger stories than this in the villages along the Hudson, all or which were too well authenticated to ad "young Rip Van Winkle once-old Rip mit of a doubt. Thave even talked with Rip Van Winkle myself, who, when last I saw him, was a very venerable old man, and so perfect waters, my heart bounded like that of a tottering out from among the crowd, put could refuse to take this into the bargain, prisoner escaped. I felt an unextinguish- her hand to her brow, and, peering under may, I have seen a certificate on the subject with a cross, in the justice's own handwriting. history, and to tell by what accident he resolved to snatch this opportunity of "Sure enough! It is Rip Van Winkle—it The story, therefore, is beyond the possibility

POETRY.

THE MORAL WARFARE.

And, strong in Him whose cause is ours -John Greenloof Whittier

LINES SUGGESTED BY THE FOURTEENTH OF FEBRUARY.

Darkness succeeds to twillight Through littice and through skylight Might be observed to shine And, sitting by the embers I elevate my members On a stray chair, and then and there

nence a valentino Year by St. Valentinus. Emma shall not be minus Expect to-day no doubt,

Emma the fair, the stately-Whom I beheld so lately. smiling beneath the snow white wreath Which told that she was court.

Wherefore, fly to her, swallow, And mention that I'd "follow, And "pipe and trill," of orless, till I died, had I but wings; Say the North is "true and tender." The South an old offender:

Say I grow hourly thinner. Simply abhor my dinner-Though I do try and absorb some viand And ask her, when all's emied,

All kinds of pretty things.

And I am found extended. To think on her's sincerely $-\epsilon$, s, ϵ diverge

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